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60 PERSONS MEET DEATH IN

Negotiations to End Rail Strike Resumed Plan Invasion of

Conference Lasts One Hour; Is Expected to Be Resumed on Monday

STATEMENT IS MADE

Representatives of Three of Four Brotherhoods Also Visit President

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 .- (By the Associated Press)-Negotiations to end the strike of railroad shopcraftsmen were resumed today by President Harding and B. H. Jewell president of the railroad employes' department of the American Federation of Labor, W. P. Johnson, president of the machinists, and J. P. Noonan, head of the electrical workers' brotherhool, left the White House after an hour of conference with the chief executive, expecting to be recalled on Mon-

Likewise H. E. Wills, J. Paul Stevens and Arthur J. Lovell, representing respectively, the engineers, trainmen and enginmen and firemen, three of the four brotherhood organizations. saw the president at the instance of national chiefs of these orders and of the switchmen's union and presented the possibility that grave prospects of further rail unsettlements were in sight unless the shop situation was straightened out. It was understood that while they did not set up a possibility of sympathetic strikes by their memberships, they declared that that the conditions of railroad equipment, locomotives, particularly on 'I Did Not Mean to Kill Him,' many roads, was growing to be such

that train crews might refuse service. The meeting between general chair man of shopworkers on the Southern railway and operating officials, set for today, was postponed until Mon-

though informed concerning the repre sentations made by the brotherhood declared they had no connection with the move. All participants held the belief that President Harding would ask no further concessions from the men other than that involved in his original proposal of accepting the railroad labor board wage awards and returning to work pending rehearings.

Mr. Gompers gave out a statement tonight which charged that organized employing and financial interests were rallying to the support of labor managements in order to make the railway strike a unified "ujon smashing

Mr. Gompers, to support his charges presented a telegram which he declared the national industrial councts of New York had just sent out, urging its membership to send 'a volume of expressions and associations, but particularly individuals, to the president sustaining the position of railroads on seniority," to assist railway oficials to man shops, and to "bring pressure tory to stand firm in their position to

Secretary of Labor Davis attended the president's conference with the brotherhood representatives and also discussed the situation with them at a and I said; separate meeting after the White House session was concluded.

Reporters Fail to Discover Mathilde's Plans For Meeting

McCormick has succeeded in utterly living." eluding newspaper reporters since her arrival from America two days ago, have been endeavoring to dis. old, was laughing. He didn't know extensive offensive on a 25 mile front cover her plans for meeting Max what it was all about. When it got realizing their advantages consistent Oser her Swiss finance. Her hotel dark, he went to sleep. was abandoned today, with the exception of the regular guests, and everybody's mouth was sealed when Irish Republicans ever the name of McCormick was

mentioned. ZURICH, Switzerland, August 5-Miss Mathilde McCormick, the youthful American financee of Max Oser Swiss riding master, is expected to arrive at Lucerne tomorrow or Monday. She will make a short stay at able that the recent landing of Free and Arizona's member of the Colora-Selisberg, a health resort overlook. State troops near Tralee will give the do river commission today appointed ing the spot where much of the ac- opponents of the Irish Republicans an engineering commission of three tion in Sciller's "William Tell" took any permanent advantage, declares to inquire into possible uses of water largest gathering of candidates durplace. Friends of Mr. Oser said he the weekly bulletin from Republican from the proposed Boulder Canyon ing the present campaign in Santa

KILLS WIFE SUICIDES was demented.

Both Sides Claim Rail Conference Victory Assured

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.-Both sides the rail controversy today claimed to see impending victory in the conference of national officials of the engineers, trainmen, enginemen and fire Heads of Four Unions Out on mens' unions and B. M. Jewell, head of the shopcrafts, with federal executives at Washington.

The eastern strike committee interequipment of the railroads was becoming so unserviceable as to justify engineers, firemen and trainmen in Men Will Be Advised Not to motive could be have had?" protesting that the lives of crews and passengers were being endangered by

its continued use. Rail chiefs, as represented by Robert Binked, vice chairman of the Association of Railway Executives, characterized the Washington session as "the workings of strike psychology

and labor politics." leaders by "bringing the railroads to their knees" and the rail chiefs by hiring new men until the power of the striking crafts is disintegrated.

Says Woman Behind Bars at Police Headquarters

headquarters tonight, for the killing arrangements that we proceed to by Secretary of Labor Davis. representatives at the White House, of her husband, Edwin Moodey. Neigh Washington and lay before the presibors are looking after William Ed. dent the entire situation." ward Moodey, two years old, their son On a cot at police headquarters, behind bars, Mrs. Moodey told her story to a correspondent of The Associated "I married him ten years ago," she

said. "He was always in trouble. I tried to help him out and help him go straight. He wouldn't though. He had been driving a taxi-cab. Last April he quit that. He took to peddling corn whiskey. I asked him to Irish Irregulars Are Being quit. He laughed at me. He told me about a married woman he was going with. She had a boy seven or eight years old. He told me how she used to fan his head and how 'sweet she was to him.' This afternoon he came talked some more. He told me about that woman and the whiskey and when I asked him for some money on presidents of roads in your terri- said he was going out tonight and sell

thing. It had been around the house sued correspondence tonight between

"'You'll not leave here tonight!" and then he grabbed it and the thing and the government. Collins replied went off. I didn't mean to kill him. that there was no question on nego-

her husband do the right thing, she toration of all seized property and declared. She said that he refused. moneys. But the move with the revolver was

bluff, she said. 'I don't care what they do with PARIS, August 5-Miss Mathilde me," she said. "I am awful tired of the irregulars has already been

Over at the neighbors' house, Wil- Valera is heading for Clogheen. liam Edward, being only two years

Strike Asked to Participate in Protest

Strike But Remain Away Until Safety Assured

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 5.-Heads of ference to be arranged with Prest-Neither side predicted what would dent Harding to protest against the bring the strike to an end-strike of the Brotherhood of Railway and and fight it to the last. Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers Station and Express Employes. The five organizations represent approximately 800,000 men, he said.

The invitations were sent to E. J. Manion, of the telegraphers; E. F. Grable, of the maintenance of way men; D. W. Holt, of the signal men of North America and J. G. Luhrsen of the American Train Dispatchers' Association. Mr. Fitzgerald stated that he had already received acceptances from Mr. Luhrsen and Mr. Grable to attend the meeting.

"Unless armed guards are withdrawn from railroad shops and yards." Mr. Fitzgerald said in a statement issued with the telegram, "we will be compelled to advise our members not on strike to remain away from ther usual places of employment until their safety can be assured."

The telegram said that "in view of

Driven Back; Nationals Given Welcome

tants of Kilmallock from which the next Monday. irregulars retreated in the direction for William Edward he cursed me, He of Charleville. The operations about Tralee developed into one of the stifsome whiskey. Then, he said he was irregulars fared badly. Nine nation-"I picked up a revolver—an old als were killed and a number wounded for a long while. I pointed it at him Michael oCllins and the Cork associa-

tion which urged the necissity of acompromise between the Republicans tiations in the event of complete cap-Mrs. Moodey said she was born in itulation. He demands the surrender

The irregulars will now be pushed toward Buttevant and Blackwater. further south. It is reported that de

The nationals are now engaged in an ly in harrassing the enemy. The next few days are expected to be fraught with great possibilities.

on River Projects

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.-It is improb- PHOENIX, Ariz., August 5-W. S. evening. was expecting to accompany her to headquarters in Cork. It is not be- reservoir, and other projects on the Cruz county took place today at a SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug., 5.—An operlieved the Free Staters can move in river for developement of arid lands rodeo and barbecue held at Canilla, 45 ation performed today on John Black; legitimate coast-wise trade have re- transmitted the request on behalf of ward and maintain communications. in the state. The three are E. C. miles northeast of Nogales. Practi- nationally known golfer was entirely ported to harbor police and customs the proprietor of he Guatemala hostel The bulletin says that Censor Beas- LaRue, hydraulic engineer for the cally every candidate on both the Re- successful, his physicians announced officials that they were boarded, out- ry, which the reports declared, will BOZEMAN, Mont., Aug., 5.-A Ward ly in Dublin is suppressing all news United States Geological Survey; Por- publican and Democratic tickets at- tonight. The operation was to reduce side the 12 mile limit by a husky cater especiall to American salesmen Boland, a janitor, shot and killed his unfavorable to the Staters and it ter J. Preston, manager of the Yuma tended. Among the candidates from a fracture near the right shoulder crew. When they cargoes were ex- and be American in every respect, and his wife 52. Boland it is believed gerald, the Free State publicity direc. Turner, hydraulic engineer for the cratic re-nomination for state cornor-cently will not impair his golfing. state water department.

Senator Opposes SFNATF RE Reappointment of Governor Harding

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.-Belief that lovernor Harding of the federal reserve board had speculated personally in cotton while directing the alleged was expressed in the senate today by Senator Heflin of Alabama, in another speech against reappointment of Governor Harding.

"Lots of people," said Senator Hefspeculating himself in cotton at the time of this deflation. What other

Senator Hellin also reiterated charges that Wall Street was behind the alleged deflation policy and that portions of the press were · supressing speeches against Governor Harding. "A large portion of the press is clean four railroad unions now on strike and I respect it but a large portion were invited to participate in a con- can be bought like sheep," said Sen-

He gave notice that if President be the result of the conference and use of "armed guards in railroad shops Harding should reappoint Governor ment entered into today by the senboth maintained they would continue and yards" in telegrams sent out to- Harding he would ask for open sen- ate. unabated their separate efforts to night by E. H. Fitzgerald, president ate consideration of the nomination

Sees Possibility For Quick Peace in Willingness on Part of Illinois State

the attitude of the rallway executives all of the bituminous coal fields will in the importation of Cuban sugar and the situation facing our member- be "well represented" at the joint who were to accumulate a fund of ships, I am convinced that we should meeting of operators and union offi- \$14,000,000 to be contributed by memarrange a conference with President cials called for Monday in Cleveland bers on the basis of one-fourth of a

"I cannot emphasize too strongly the necessity for an early settlement of the coal strike in order to reduce the suffering of the country at large during the coming winter," said Mr. Davis' statement, "and I have particularly in mind, the greatest sufferers namely, the women and children of the industrial class. Therefore, I look with a great deal of interest and favor on another effort that carries with it a possibility of ending the present coal strike.

"It seems to me that the expressed field as the state of Illinois to resume operations on the 1920 scale until March 31, 1923, indicates that possibility of quick settlement, and no sen-DUBLIN, Aug., 5.- (By the Asso- timent should stand in the way of co-

production of that coal by a quick re- league. sumption of operations in sufficient

all concerned."

JACKSONVILLE Fla., Aug. 5. -Lieutenant J. M. Doolittle completed are considered wet or doubtful. preparations today for the start Sun-

CAMPAIGN MEETING HERE

ation commissioner.

deflation policy of the board in 1920 Provides For Curtailment of Debate on Amendments Still in Dispute

preted the conference as proof that OBJECT TO GUARDS lin, "believe that the governor was PACT IS COMPROMISE

Sugar Question Is Again Subject of Discussion

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 .- A final vote on the tariff bill before September 1, is hoped for by Republican and Democratic leaders, under the operation of an unanimous consent agree-While the agreement fixes no date for a vote, it provides for sharp curtailment of debate and disposition before next Saturday, of all amendments to the more important sections young child. of the bill still in controversy.

The agreement was entered into as a compromise and was approved in the midst of debate on the sugar the midst of debate on the sugar schedule. Opening that debate, Senator Harrison, Democrat, of Mississip pi, renewed discussion of the letter written to Major General Crowder at Havana by Senator Smoot of Utah ranking Republican on the senate finance committee. Mr. Harrison said the letter proposed a reduction in the duty on Cuban raw sugar if Cuban promoters would curtail their crop this year to 2,500,000 tons. Senator Smoot told the senate he had written described. Senator Harrison also read what purported to be an agree-WASHINGTON, Aug. 5 .- Hope that ment by certain interests concerned

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Prospects Based on Primaries Favor Drys

WASHINGTON, August 5 -The home and laid down by the buffet. He claim that gains are in prospect for given a warm welcome by the inhabi that will be put forth at Cleveland the dry forces in both the senate and dare-devil discopile of the Captain scoping four rear coaches on number tants of Kilmallock from which the next Monday. house as the result of the primaries "What this country needs now is held to date, was made tonight in a coal and a fairly representative gath- statement issued by Wayne B. Wheelering at Cleveland would insure the er, general counsel of the Anti-Salloon cutlasses and drink Bahama whiskey injured. No other casualties on num-

"Seventeen states, not counting ment around the council table, which vania. Nine senators have been re- York and New Jersey customers. to me appears to be the public duty nominated, seven of whic have stood for prohibition enforcement and two was recited by a member of the Tay- tered the wooden coaches of the acagainst it. Of the four new nomina- lor's crew, as follows: Trenton, Mo. She had tried to make of all military materials and the restored ber husband do the right thing, she toration of all seized property and Plans One Stop, One 18th amendment.

toward Buttevant and Blackwater.

It is believed that the headquarters From Ocean to Ocean have been re-nominated, of whom 128 ashore.

Which would transfer its cargo of imported liquor to waiting bootleggers bunch of huge ropes. Passengers on the have voted for prohibition enforcement legislation and 25 against it. Of the new nominations, about one-third ship appeared out of the evening mist the creek were reported drowned, as

day night on his proposed one-stop nant issue in the campaign was a a huge roll of currency and bargained one-day flight across the continent.

Weather conditions along the route tional prohibition. The wets have key. NOGALES, Ariz., Aug. 5. - The a large majority by Mr. Brewster."

BLACK IMPROVING

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Italian Fascisti Rome Says Deputy ROME, Aug. 5.-The Epocha report

ing an interview with an unnamed socialist deputy who arrived here today from Ancona, quoting him as hinting that the Fascisti were planning to march on Rome. Almost all the rail way stations between Ancona and the capital are said to be guarded by Fascisti, so that such a march would be easy if as the deputy was quoted as saying, "the authorities continue to

A Catholic deputy present at the in terview was quoted as adding that the occupation of Milan, Genoa and Lesser centers by Fascisti made the suggested plan of invasion of the cap ital appear more likely.

The restoration of communication today with Parma revealed that the Letter Written by Smoot on communists entrenched themselves in the poorer quarter of the city, challenging the Fascisti.

bey the order for cessation of the least 60 injured when Missouri Pastrike, which fact, further irritated cific fast train known as No. 4, the Fascisti, who have reinforcements crashed into a local passenger train from other towns and destroyed two at Sulphur Springs, 26 miles south railway men's clubs.

plications the Parma authorities de- the Missouri Pacific here shortly cided on military occupation of the communist quarter; the troops while dismantling the barricades found train, known as No. 32, were tele-three bodies including that of a scoped, the bulletin announced. The

a letter but not such a letter as that Modern Prototype of Captain Kidd Evades Pursuit of U. S. Rum Scout

ence in outer New York harbor of a town. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 5.—(By Harding at the earliest moment. If by John L. Lewis, president of the cent a pound on sugar from Cuba, this phantom rum pirate which pounces the Associated Press) - Mrs. Dolly you agree, if we should instruct our United Mine Workers, was expressed sum to be paid to the American pro- on liquor smugglers by night and debris, the relief work was greatly Moody, 35 years old, is held at police Washington representatives to make in a formal statement issued tonight ducers of cane and beet sugar on some joshes the prohibition navy by day, hindered and only slowly could the alleged agreement involving the fix- was revealed to customs officials injured be taken from the wreckage. when the United States rum scout Among the first of the dead to be Taylor returned to port today after taken from the demolished coaches trying for a week to capture this mod were Rev. V. O. Penley, of DeSoto, ern Captain Kidd.

Numerous tales of the escapades Mo., and Engineer Glenn. the craft is unknown for none of its lar Bluff. victims or pursuers has seen a sin- At midnight, the following bulletin gle mark of identification on her was issued by the Missouri Pacific mist-gray hull. Her lines were de officials here: willingness on the part of such a large Anti-Saloon Head Declares scribed as those of a high speed cruiser over sixty feet in length and engine number 5312, in charge of propelled by two noiseless gasoline conductor Greeg, Engineer Glenn, motors which send her skipping out struck rear of number 32 in charge of danger when she is approached by of Conductor J. A. Long and Enginan inquisitive visitor.

The pirate captain is said to be a Kidd he emulates. His crew of eight, an armed gang of reckless outlaws engine. who carry automatic pistols instead of killed and Fireman E. Tinsley badly instead of Jamaica rum.

number of fields that will produce im- Kentucky, have held primaries," said 12 mile limit, at the end of the ocean and about 60 injured. We are runmediate relief. Therefore, I hope that Mr. Wheeler's statement. "Thirteen lane travelled by tugs, schooners, ning relief trains from St. Louis, all fields will be well represented. United States senators have been trawlers and yachts, engaged in haul-"The issues have been sufficiently nominated in 12 states, two of the ing liquor, from Nassau, Bahams and doctors that we can get hold of. narrow as to warrant a quick adjust- nominations being made in Pennsyl- St. John, Nova Scotia, to the New Wires all knocked down but linemen

An instance of the pirates' method

Day Flight in Plane "In the 17 states, 188 congressional districts have nominated candidates." which would transfer its cargo of im-

and drew alongside. Her skipper they were pinned beneath wreckage. "In many of these states the domi- boarded the anchored vessel, flashed

permitting, the aviator is to hop off about held their own in the wet dis- "When the liquor had been transfrom the edge of the Atlantic ocean at tricts. Only one dry congressman-ferred from the hold of one vessel to Say News Censored Appoint Commission o'clock, and, with a brief stop at Kelly Field San Ablania Tox Monday Pueblo, 1 Smiles east of here at 9 has been defeated by a recognized the other, the pirate calmly stuffed ly Field San Antonio, Tex., Monday the drys have made gains in both his own craft. The victimized crew morning for fuel he expects to arrive house and senate. In some districts ran for their guns. When they return Bartender Wanted at San Diego. Cal., approximately the wets have not polled more than ed they found themselves looking into Line Forms on Right ri with the dry vote divided among tols, as the mystery ship silently four candidates, Mr. Sacks, the beer drove away into the darkness. This and wine candidate was defeated by quick disappearance act has carned the pirate ship the name of 'Pelican' Hoover was asked today to find among those in the rum-running trade "competent Yankee bartender" for a

it is said.

Four Coaches at Rear End of Local Telescoped by Force of Impact of Collision

INJURED MOSTLY BOYS

Confusion and Debris at Scene of Wreck Greatly Hinders Rescue Work

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 5 .- From 35 The socialists of Parma did not to 40 persons were killed and at of here at 7:30 p. m. tonight, accord-In order to avoid more serious com ing to an official bulletin issued by before midnight

Four rear coaches of the local a scoped, the bulletin announced. The accident occurred at the railroad station where the local passenger had stopped to take water. Engineer Glenn on the fast train was instantly killed while his firemen, J. E. Tinsley, was badly injured.

Most of the injured, it was said, were Boy Scouts who were returning from their summer camp at Ironton, Mo., about 100 miles south of the scene of the disaster.

The names of the dead are not known and many are said to have been so badly mangled that identification will be almost impossible, Relief trains from here, Poplar

Bluff and DeSoto were sent to the scene of the wreck, carrying all physicians available from the towns and cities along the route. The relief train from Poplar Bluff was who offered their services when the NEW YORK, Aug. 5.- The pres- report of the disaster reached that

Because of the confusion and the Mo., Miss Irene Moon, of Festus,

of the mystery ship which hos thrown One of the coaches was thrown consternation into the fleet of non- into a creek which runs along the descript craft engaged in coast-wise track and was completely demolished. liquor smuggling, were brought in by The fast train was enroute from Fort the crew of the Taylor. The name of Worth, Tex., and the local from Pop-

"About 7:20 p. m., train number 4. eer Cross, while number 32 was taking water at Sulphur Springs, tele-

"Engineer Glenn on number 4 ber 4. Last reports indicate prob-Their craft hovers just outside the ably 35 or 40 killed on number 32 making repairs."

Steel coaches of the express splincommodation from the rear, dumping "A smuggler's craft was anchored passengers and debris over a quarter

Passengers on the coach which "Suddenly and silently, the pirate rolled down the embankment into A few Boy Scouts who miraculously escaped rushed to the aid of the injured and worked frantically to assist their less fortuante companions. The local was composed of seven

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Secretary new Guatemala hotel. Official re-"Numerous small ships, engaged in ports to the commerce department

wife and then committed suicide this warns Americans against giving cre- irrigation project for the United outside the county was Amos A. Betts joint. It is now expected the injuries amined and found liquorless, the husmorning. Boland was 55 years old dence to propaganda sent out by Fitz- States reclamation service and A. G. of Phoenix, candidate for the Demo- Black received in an automobile re- ky crew in each case clambered made in the United States but this is aboard the "Pelican" and made a thought to apply, the department said, "to construction materials mainly,"